

The Post Office declines all responsibility for loss of or damage to unregistered letters containing jewelry, and where registration has been neglected mailers bear no equities into alleged losses of letters.

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING SHIP.

When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not fitted as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marking the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents per half ounce as usual. The Post Office undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and dispatching the correspondence as soon as the letter is posted if possible, but no equities are allowed in such cases.

